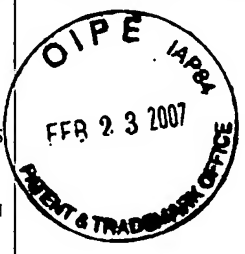


02-26-07

*Handwritten initials and arrow pointing to the top right corner.*

JENKINS  
WILSON  
TAYLOR  
& HUNT

patent attorneys  
February 23, 2007



"Express Mail" mailing number EV 968 009 427 US  
Date of Deposit February 23, 2007  
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

*Signature of Gayle W. Chaney*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Gayle W. Chaney

RICHARD E. JENKINS

JEFFREY L. WILSON

ARLES A. TAYLOR, JR.

GREGORY A. HUNT

BENTLEY J. OLIVE

\*CHRIS PERKINS, PH.D.

P. ASHLEY DARDEN

DAVID M. SIGMON

WESLEY A. SHEFFIELD

SCOTT C. MAYHEW

\*KIRBY A. TURNER

PATENT AGENTS

JAY KLINCK

AMY ODENBAUGH, PH.D.

TECHNICAL SPECIALIST

LEON R. LEGLEITER, PH.D.

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/615,100 for  
VITERBI DECODER  
Our Ref. No. 1406/153

Sir:

Please find enclosed in connection with the subject U.S. patent application the following documents:

1. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a);
2. An Amendment A;
3. Check in the amount of \$1,020.00;
4. A return-receipt postcard to be returned to us with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office filing stamp thereon; and
5. Certificate of Express Mail No.: EV 968 009 427 US.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with the filing of this correspondence to Deposit Account Number 50-0426.

Respectfully submitted,

JENKINS, WILSON, TAYLOR & HUNT, P.A.

*Signature of Richard E. Jenkins*

Richard E. Jenkins  
Registration No. 28,428  
Customer No: 25297

REJ/gwc  
Enclosures

\*LICENSED ONLY IN CA  
\*LICENSED ONLY IN GA

tel 919.493.8000  
fax 919.419.0383

Jenkins, Wilson, Taylor & Hunt, P.A. University Tower, Suite 1200 | 3100 Tower Boulevard | Durham, North Carolina 27707  
JenkinsWilson.com